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SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...values". And there will be articles to bear out every one of those allegations, but he is lionized and praised in Omaha. All of these things tie into what I am talking about, the way I'm presenting it, because I think all of them are interrelated. All of what I'm talking about, all of what you wish I would stop talking about goes to education, the type of education that takes place, the principles, if there are any, underlying that type of education, and the lack of integrity in some situations of those who support these programs and others who administer them and misuse them. Practices...

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Time. Senator Wehrbein.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: Mr. President, members, Senator Chambers, I want to make a correction. I'd better do it on the record because I...when you asked me about whether the Governor put any money in, recommendations for money. Act...he did and I'm going to read it to you in a minute. The reason is, as we go through our process in the committee, many times if not most of the times, we don't really ask what the Governor did until we get toward the end of our debate because we feel that it should be independent analysis of the budget. And in this case, we didn't really get to ... ever to get to what the Governor had put in his budget's request because there was a motion and we added the 750,000 each year in each one, as we discussed. So I want to put on the record what he did request; 345,000 in the first year, and 710,000 the second year was the request, and it breaks down, SSAP 100,000, SAP 100,000, and PEAP 145,000. totals 345,000 the first year. In the second year, SSAP was 205,000, SAP was 205,000, and PEAP was 300,000 for a total of 710,000. I just want to get that on the record because I was unaware...I actually hadn't even heard the numbers because of the way we had moved in the committee on this particular issue and I wanted to get it on the record, so he did recommend some. Thank you.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you, Mr. President. Senator Wehrbein, do you mind me asking you a couple of questions about what you